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In response to the Final Office Action mailed December 31, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

An Appendix including information from the "American Inventor's Protection Act of 1999 Questions and Answers" web page at <http://www.uspto.gov/web/offices/dcom/olia/aipa/infoexch.htm> follows page 3 of this Response.